COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

### BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

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PURCHASED WATER ADJUSTMENT OF )
WEST OLDHAM UTILITIES, INC. ) CASE NO. 94-062

## ORDER

On February 14, 1994, West Oldham Utilities, Inc. ("West Oldham") filed its application with the Public Service Commission ("Commission") for the purpose of adjusting its rates pursuant to the purchased water adjustment procedure, KRS 278.012 and 807 KAR 5:067.

The Commission, having reviewed the evidence of record and being otherwise sufficiently advised, finds that:

- 1. West Oldham purchases water from Louisville Water Company ("Louisville"). Louisville increased its rate for water sold by 3 cents from \$1.13 per 1,000 gallons to \$1.15 per 1,000 gallons effective January 1, 1994. Louisville additionally increased its monthly surcharge from \$272.22 to \$273.
- 2. West Oldham did not specify a date for implementing the increased rates to its customers.
- 3. During the 12 months ending December 31, 1993, West Oldham purchased 51,694,000 gallons of water and sold 48,468,000 gallons. The increase in the cost of purchased water is \$1,560 which results in a purchased water adjustment of 3 cents per 1,000 gallons. Based on an average monthly usage of 5,000 gallons, the

average bill of West Oldham's customers would increase 15 cents from \$19.40 to \$19.55 or 1 percent.

- 4. The purchased water adjustment of 3 cents per 1,000 gallons and the rates in Appendix A, attached hereto and incorporated herein, are fair, just, and reasonable and should be approved for services rendered on and after the date of this Order.
- 5. The tariff sheet filed by West Oldham is incorrect in that the adjustment of 3 cents per 1,000 gallons was not added onto the minimum bi-monthly rates based on meter size.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

- 1. The purchased water adjustment of 3 cents per 1,000 gallons and the rates in Appendix A are hereby approved for services rendered on and after the date of this Order.
- 2. Within 30 days of the date of this Order, West Oldham shall file revised tariff sheets setting out the rates approved herein.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 3rd day of March, 1994.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Chairman

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ATTEST:

Commissioner

Executive Director

#### APPENDIX A

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 94-062 DATED March 3, 1994

The following rates and charges are prescribed for the customers in the area served by West Oldham Utilities, Inc. All other rates and charges not specifically mentioned herein shall remain the same as those in effect under authority of this Commission prior to the effective date of this Order.

## BI-MONTHLY RATE TO BE CHARGED FOR WATER USED IN EXCESS OF ALLOWABLE USAGE OF WATER UNDER ABOVE MINIMUM BI-MONTHLY BILL

First Consumption Block	400,000 g	gallons \$	2.91 per	1,000	gallons
Next Consumption Block	2,600,000 g	gallons	2.91 per	1,000	gallons
In Excess of	3,000,000 g	gallons	2.91 per	1,000	gallons

# MINIMUM BI-MONTHLY BILL AND ALLOWABLE USAGE (1,000 GALLONS)

Meter Size		Allowable Usage	<u>Rate</u>
5/8 x 3/4	Inch	0	\$ 10.00
1	Inch	0	20.00
1-1/2	Inch	0	30.00
2	Inch	30	142.35
3	Inch	70	332.15
4	Inch	130	596.85
6	Inch	300	1,504.50
8	Inch	500	2,372.50
10	Inch	800	3,796.00
12	Inch	1,200	5,694.00
16	Inch	2,000	9,490.00
	Inch	3,200	15,184.00